GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

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REGULARISATION OF CONTRACT ENGINEERS IN EIL
PUSHPDAN SHAMBHUDAN GADHAVI

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the decision of the Board of Engineers India Limited (EIL) torecruit/regularise the contract engineers for the Batch 2001 onwards has since been implemented and the contract engineers have been reinstated;

(b) if so, the complete details of recruitment of contract engineers as on January 31, 2002; and

(c) the time by which all the contract engineers are likely to be absorbed permanently against the decision of the Board?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS(SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) & (b) Engineers India Limited (EIL) in June, 2000 decided that 50% of the vacancies / requirement of Management Trainees would be filled on an annual basis from contract engineers working in the company or who have left the service of the company on completion of contract period / foreclosure of contract and meet the selection criteria. However, no contract engineer has been recruited / absorbed by EIL after the abovementioned decision due to non-availability of vacancies of Management Trainees in the company.

(c) Absorption of contract engineers would depend on the quantum of business available to EIL. It is not possible to indicate any time frame for absorption of the contract engineers.